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<TEXT>I only purchased a Tracfone prepaid wireless phone as a
convenience in case of emergency. I buy a limited number of
minutes each year just in case an emergency would occur. It is
not used like a regular cell phone for routine conversations.
For that I use my regular home telephone for which I pay the
several other taxes added on to my local and long distance
service. But I don't think that adding such fees for limited use
prepaid services makes any sense nor is it fair. I urge you to
reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a
flat-fee.

Sincerely,

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